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TAKE CHANCES, VOTE EARLY NOV. 7 PLAY SAFE, VOTE THE STRAIGHT REPUBLICAN TICKET A Liberal Reward For Any Negro Who Will Say He Will Vote For Wilson MISSOURI ALL GO REPUBLICAN ELECTION RETURNS STOPS LYCHING Warning To Negro Voters

HUGHES, LAMM AND DICKEY
WILL BE EJECTED TODAY

Negroes are on trial. Leaders see victory if voters cast solid ballot for Republican candidate. Vote against Wilson and disfranchisement.

Charles G. Williams, of Bonville, Mo., chairman of the Auxiliary Republican State Committee, does not fear Democratic intimidation of Negro voters in Missouri. When seen at the headquarters of the committee, in the International Life Building, in St. Louis, although overwhelmed by the activities of the strenuous campaign, he took time to express his opinion on the political situation in Missouri, formed from the reports received from an army of trained workers, scattered over all parts of the state.

Mr. Williams said in part: "Reports from all over Missouri indicate that the present campaign has been the most stubborn political battle in the history of the state. But we have had the aid and co-operation of the ablest and most experienced Negro orators, political workers in the state, who have worked conscientiously and efficiently for the Republican cause, and the results have been highly satisfactory."

The Negro voters have been reached and thoroughly aroused and organized and several thousand more Negro voters will be brought to the polls to cast their ballots for the candidates of the Republican party than have ever before voted at an election in Missouri.

"Our campaign speakers and organizers have been greeted everywhere, with greater and more enthusiastic crowds than in any former campaign. Every nook and corner of the state has been reached and the Negro voters everywhere are eager to cast a vote to register to protest against the actions of the Wilson administration, and while I do not predict a landslide, I feel perfectly safe in forecasting the election of the entire Republican ticket in Missouri."

DARNEY PREDICTS ELECTIONS OF
HUGHES, LAMM AND DICKEY

Fred W. Darney, head of the organization department of the Auxiliary State Republican Committee, said: "I look for a larger and more enthusiastic support of the Republican candidates by the Negro voters in Missouri next Tuesday, because of the attitude of the national administration and the open hostility of Senator Reed, of Missouri, who allied himself with such Negro-haters as Senators Tillam and Cerdas, in opposing the rights of the Negro race in the Old Congress."

"The little handful of Negroes, who for selfish reasons, are advocating a division of the Negro vote, are meeting with any success at the hands of the race and file of our people. There is no question of political expediency in a division of our vote as long as the Democratic party of the nation is dominated by the Democrats of the South."

"The events of the last four years have served to convince the Negroes of this and as a result not only in the state of Missouri, but throughout the nation, Negroes who gave their vote for Wilson four years ago, are now working like Trojans for the election of Hughes, and I believe I am justified in predicting that Missouri will send Walter R. Dickey to the United States Senate and will elect Judge Henry Lamm to the governorship of Missouri by the largest majority ever given any candidate on a state ticket in recent years."

NEGROES UNANIMOUS AGAINST
WILSON

"The Negro voters of the United States are practically unanimous in their opposition to President Wilson. The Democratic campaign managers are well aware of that fact. The course of injustice and segregation to which the Negroes have been subjected ever since the Wilson administration came into power has been such as to alienate every colored voter that ever was

DEMOCRATS FACING DEFEAT
PLAN DESPERATE MEASURES

Hopes to Frighten Negro Voters From Polls. Intimidation to be Tried in all Northern States. Party sees Wilson's Doom Unless Negro is Barred

friendly to Wilson.

"Knowing that this vote is wholly against them the Democratic managers have set out deliberately to prevent it from being cast or counted. This is the real explanation of the sensational charges of Negro colonization that the Democratic managers have been so industrially scattering around the country for the last two or three weeks."

"This is the secret behind the allegations of activity by the Department of Justice and the appointment of special attorneys general to investigate and prosecute colonizers."

"The Democrats know that there are no such colonizers. They know that the movement of Negroes from some of the Southern states, on which they rely to give some color of creditability to their reckless charge, was a genuine effort to secure more labor for northern concerns. They know that it was fostered and encouraged by the Democratic Bureau of Employment in the Department of Labor, before the Democratic managers saw a political opportunity in it."

DEMOCRATS CIRCULATE FALSE-
HOOD

"But relying upon the probability that the general public would be ignorant of the fact, the unscrupulous Democratic managers spread their calculated falsehood. It was important to them to get this charge of colonization floated, in order to lay a foundation for the execution of their plan to keep Negroes away from the polls on election day. The Democrats have long been expert in the disfranchisement of Negroes in the South. But they also know that the North is a shotgun country. They knew they must devise some method that does not rely upon the shotgun tactics for execution."

PLAN TO CHALLENGE NEGRO
VOTER

"They plan to challenge every Negro voter who goes to the polls and offers to vote. It is by this species of intimidation that they plan to frighten a good many Negroes out of voting, or at least to make it so difficult for them that many thousands will lose their votes."

"But the scheme won't work. The Republican managers will take steps to meet it wherever the Democrats attempt to put it into execution."

Colored Women
G.O.P. Headquarters

The National Republican Party has for the first time in its history recognized the voting power of the colored woman by establishing at Chicago, Ill., Colored Women's Hughes Republican Headquarters.

This bureau is fully equipped with respectable and representative colored women in charge: Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay Davis, the well known club woman, is chairman, Mrs. Ada McKinley, secretary and Mrs. Fannie Barrier Williams is in charge of the Publicity Department. The party recognizes that one of the most interesting and significant features of this campaign is the fact that there are 60,000 colored women in the thirteen suffrage states who can cast their vote for president of the United States and in some states they may hold the balance of power.

This bureau hopes, through the colored press, clubs, churches and other organizations, to reach a large number of the colored women in the suffrage states and urge them to cast their votes for Hughes who stands for equal rights to all men regardless of color.

Will Be Received Over Leased Wire
Tuesday Night. Theater Will Be
Main Open Until Winner Is An-
nounced. Delmar's Trained Lions
on Big Show Bill. Special Pro-
gram for After Show Hours.

For the first time in the history of St. Louis, arrangements have been made so that the ladies can have the privilege of receiving the election returns in comfort.

Mr. Charles Turpin has secured a special wire for Tuesday night and will receive returns as fast as they are tabulated by the Associated Press. These dispatches will not only be announced during the regular show but will continue long after, until one o'clock or later, in fact, until Mr. Turpin can announce that Hughes has been elected president.

After the last show, music, songs and pictures will be intermingled with the returns. This will afford an excellent opportunity for the men to bring their wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts who are so interested in this important national and state election.

Mr. Turpin has also booked a show for next week that is well above the average. The bill will include Delmar and his group of performing lions. This act was one of last season's biggest sensations. The audience is absolutely in danger as it watches this daring trainer perform with his remarkable troupe of king beasts.

Other high grade acts will round out a big bill and, in addition, moving pictures of the candidates will be shown on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. There will be no extra charge for admission Tuesday night.

Madam Motin
At Dallas, Tex.

Dallas, Texas, Special to Argus.—Mrs. Frances E. Motin, regularly styled the "queen of impersonators," is the founder and president of the Motin School of Expression, of St. Louis, Mo., completely captured her audience at Bethel Friday evening, October 20, when she presented her class in a classic recital. The masterpieces from classic authors were introduced by Misses G. L. Boswell, D. R. McMillan and Sarah Pax, Misses Edna E. Zenz, D. E. Boswell, M. Boswell, Rozella Grissom and Virginia Stewart. The program will long be remembered by those who were present. Madam Motin proved to her audience that as a teacher of expression she has no peer. She took raw material and after three weeks' training presented them to the public in a recital never before seen in Dallas. Her lecture should have been heard by every teacher in the city. Madam Motin was repeatedly cheered, making her last number a poem by Hugo, "Nero's Fall," and we are speaking of one of our most gifted readers and is capable of instructing the most cultured. While in the state she has received many courtesies from the white race. The Dallas Express showed its high appreciation of Mrs. Motin's work and ability by presenting her a large bouquet of flowers.

LINCOLN INSTITUTE ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION

The St. Louis Branch of the Lincoln Institute Alumni Association has been reorganized along new and more progressive lines and we are making an effort to reach you in order that you may keep in touch with your Alma Mater and give her the help and encouragement which only you can give.

There will be a meeting, Sunday, November 5, 1916, 3:30 p. m., Union Memorial Church, at which time the election of officers for the year will take place. Every member and even a graduate in the city is expected to be present—3:30 p. m.

Wm. T. Spencer, Secretary.

Carpet, rug and mattresses cleaned by sanitary methods at the Accurate Laundry.

Indianapolis, Indiana.—The Washington (Indiana) Herald says: "Many years ago the state of Indiana passed a law which operates to remove a sheriff who permits a mob to take a prisoner away from him. The removal is automatic. The burden rests with the sheriff to regain his office by showing that by his whole duty in defense of his prisoner. Since that time, the year 1890, there has been but one case of lynching in Indiana, in which instance a mob took a prisoner from a Sullivan County sheriff and hanged him. The prisoner was seized as he was being brought into the state from Illinois and before he was placed in jail. This case happened shortly after the passing of the law, and there has been no lynching since. Before that statute went into effect, the crime of lynching was common in Indiana. There is but one county in southern Indiana, we believe, that has not had one or more successful appeals to lynch law. The exception is this county (Davies), and there have been twenty-nine successful appeals to make having been frustrated several times by brave and resourceful sheriffs. As a matter of fact, sheriffs frequently, if not usually, either were in sympathy with the purpose of the mob or were indifferent. But they changed their attitude when the law presented to them the alternative of losing their offices if they fail to protect their prisoners. There is not a jail in Indiana which is not proof against a mob if it is in charge of a brave sheriff who respects his oath of office."

HOW INDIANA
STOPS LYCHING

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 2, 1916

Dear Sir:—

It has come to my notice that the Police Department, at the request of the Election Commissioners are making a canvass of the colored voters in St. Louis, and it is reported that in some instances colored voters have been intimidated by the police officers making this canvass. It is undoubtedly their purpose to challenge a great many of the colored voters on election day, in order to prevent them from voting their choice, realizing full well that most colored men are Republicans.

In this connection let me say that every American Citizen who is properly registered has a right to vote and need not fear any man, and that the Republican City Committee has procured the services of able counsel to protect you in this right. For this purpose a bureau has been opened at 302 Odd Fellows Bldg., telephone Main 873 or Central 6380, where you can procure a bondsman and legal aid, free of cost, on election day in case of trouble arising from any interference with the free and lawful exercise of the right of suffrage.

It is also our purpose to vigorously prosecute any police officer or other person who attempts to intimidate or unlawfully interfere in any manner with your right of suffrage.

I also advise that you vote early in order to frustrate the plan of delay at the polls, so that we may have a free expression of the will of the people on Election Day.

We remain very truly yours,

REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE,
John Schmol, Chairman

Men's Meeting
At Pythian Hall

Dr. W. F. McMillin, who is to open the series of meetings for men for the Young Men's Christian Association, has announced as his subject, "Which?" The meeting will be held at Pythian Hall, 3137 Pine St. The musical program promises to be interesting. Over 2,000 men attended the meetings of last year, and it looks like the attendance this year will exceed the attendance of any former years.

In the matter of the Building Fund, the management of the Young Men's Christian Association has announced that the Building Fund total has passed \$13,000 and the workers are trying to speed up the collection of the \$14,000 mark.

The Men's Bible Class under Dr. W. H. Peck, will start Wednesday, night, November 15. The opening will be in the form of a supper. For the winter, the men will study the "Book of the Manhood of the Master." This book has had a most extraordinary success. Since it has been published, over 100,000 copies have been sold. This Bible, it is expected, will be one of the fine features of the Association life this year.

K. OF P. GRAND LODGE OFFICERS
GIVE COMPLIMENTARY SMOKE

A Complimentary Smoker in honor of the Grand Lodge Officers of the Knights of Pythias of Missouri, was given at Pythian Temple, Saturday evening October 28th. One hundred and fifty guests were present and listened to an interesting program.

The members of the K. of P. Grand Lodge Official Staff present were: A. W. Lloyd, Grand Chancellor, Col. L. A. Knox of Kansas City, Grand Attorney, K. Robinson, Supreme Representative, J. B. Collins of Columbia, Mo., Grand Master of Exchequer, and Arthur Robinson, Grand Prelate.

The various K. of P. Lodges in the city of St. Louis, were invited to send to the Grand Lodge Officers. The smoker was arranged by N. P. Hairston and E. R. Stockard officiated as toastmaster.

After the program had been carried out, many of the guests repaired to the lodge room on the second floor and took part in the institution of a new K. of P. Lodge.

You can get the Argus for \$1.00 per year by paying before December 1. After that date \$1.50.

On account of the large registration and anticipated record vote in St. Louis Tuesday, THE ARGUS advises every one to VOTE EARLY AS POSSIBLE. Every colored voter that can do so should go to the polls before 3 p. m. The rush during the closing hours may cause many to be shut out.

Pay no attention to the rumored challenges of Negro voters. These are only intended to intimidate you. If you are lawfully registered you have a right to vote and YOU WILL BE PROTECTED. Pass the word along. Vote early and vote the Straight Republican Ticket. Don't Experiment.

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REWARD
PRESIDENT WILSON

Has Been Weighed in the Balance and Found Wanting. Negro's Duty to Defeat Him

Speaking to a large enthusiastic audience at the Negro Independent Public Club, 2000 Market Street, Ford H. Hayes, who has been an active Republican worker, denounced Wilson and his Democratic friends. Hayes said: "Democrats to be ejected, who have followed no one policy of their own, except to persecute the Negro, namely, by segregating the Negro in the White House, by trying to segregate them in the District of Columbia, by forbidding the appointment of Negroes to commissioned offices in the army or navy, by removing twenty-six Negroes from honorable Federal positions and putting white men in their places, thereby depriving the Negro of a year and by attempting to repeal the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Constitution. The speaker declared that it is the duty of every Negro to go to the polls and register their vote by casting their votes for Mr. Hughes, who is a noble man of character, a man of ability, a man of honest justice, who says he stands for a protective tariff to safeguard the American business man, a labor compensation law to protect the working man, a child labor law to protect the children and a board of regulation to protect all the citizens. This is the kind of man we want for president—a man who fearlessly said that he would protect the lives of American citizens on land and sea, at home and abroad, whether native or naturalized or whatever race or creed. The speaker also urged his hearers to vote for Mr. Lamm for governor and W. R. Dickey for United States Senator, also for a Republican Congressman in the district, especially for Mr. L. C. Dyer, who he said, is the best friend the Negro has had in the White House for twenty years. He closed by referring them to what Fredrick Douglass said, 'The Republican Party is the ship and all else is the sea.' And if the Negro doesn't want to drown, he had better get on board the ship."

DR. BROOKS' TRAVELOQUE

At Central Baptist Church Wednesday Evening, November 8. Moving Pictures and Lecture

Dr. Brooks will give his famous moving picture and travelogue at the Central Baptist Church on Wednesday, Nov. 8, at 8 o'clock. He returns from Wichita, Kansas, to vote on Tuesday and he will remain over Wednesday night to give his lecture at Central. This is the last time that Dr. Brooks will appear in St. Louis for some time. He has a great host of friends, let us all be present at Central on Wednesday night. At the close of the lecture we expect to have a rejoicing time over election of Mr. Hughes as president of the U. S.

Dr. Brooks will lecture on "Travels Abroad," and also on "The Marriage of a Shogun." It promises to be not only instructive but one of the most laugh provoking evenings one has spent in many a day. Admission only ten cents. The splendid moving picture machine owned by Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Malone will, by their kindness, be used and operated by Mr. Brown.

"Let me forget, remember yet!" President Wilson started the segregation movement against the Negroes which is now sweeping over this country. He started it in Washington, as soon as he was inaugurated four years ago. Vote for Hughes.

Vote For Geo. P. Weinbrenner For Sheriff

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THE CRISIS ON

The Crisis is on. If Wilson and the Democrats win the hand on the dial of Negro progress will be set back for many years. The President's earlier environments were the Georgia Negro lynchings, a school of brutalized Negro-haters that not only tolerates but encourages lynching or burning Negroes alive on mere accusation, guilty or not guilty.

Wilson is the acme of race antagonisms. Under him as president of Princeton University all Negroes were removed from even janitor and messenger jobs. Under him as president of the United States the Negro was not only segregated in the departments but every one holding an important position in the government was let out; therefore, we do not hesitate in saying, that Wilson is antagonistic to the Negro, and under him, antagonism will fatten and flourish.

"It is bred in the bone" if Wilson was bred in Georgia or the mountains of Virginia.

What does Georgia raise? Hell! What does it breed—disfranchisement, jim-crowism, lynchings, burning men alive, mutilating the dead, fraud, whipping, violent intimidation, low wages, low educational facilities and all kinds of civic proscription. This crop is especially raised for Negroes.

Fifty years ago and more Wilson's party in the Senate and House fought every measure for the advancement of the Negro. It fought against the "Three great Constitutional Amendments"—xiii, xiv, xv, granting freedom, citizenship and suffrage. Democrats fought against his civil rights and every measure giving equal protection of the law. That was fifty years ago and more, but every day since then, the Democratic party has kept up its anti-Negro warfare. It is an old habitual criminal on this question. Even today with its antecedents all against the Negro, that party does nothing, says nothing that even promises anything to the Negro but proscription.

This is our crisis so far as human rights are concerned. Wilson's party is a race party, and, if put in power, would fill our statute books with class legislation, just like the laws of Georgia, Mississippi and South Carolina. The Democratic party has the Negro on the brain; he is to it what the red rag is to the bull.

Should Wilson be elected we will have a harvest of Negro lynching in the south; every legislature controlled by the unalterable and unutterable Democrats will have its calendar piled up with anti-Negro bills, measures to disfranchise, to segregate, to deport, to divest or vitiate property or educational rights and to make the Negro a slave of the state instead of the individual.

We insist that we do not overdraw the picture. For fifty years the feeling against the Negro has been growing deeper and blacker and the Democrats readily crystallize this feeling into law. The election of Wilson will deepen that feeling and it will spread like a besom of destruction, overriding law and gospel, it will come nearer sweeping our race off its feet.

America must cut this Gordian Knot, not untie it. We must stop bowing to untoward circumstances and meet this race issue like men. Life, liberty and property, due process of law and pursuit of happiness are inalienable. Wilson and the Democratic party are not inalienable and we must vote them down, wipe out all race issues and place our country again on the steady path of liberty, prosperity and unity.

NON-PARTISAN BALLOT COMMITTEE

To the Editor of the Argus: We desire to call the attention of your readers to the fact that next Tuesday the people of St. Louis will vote on a charter amendment at the bottom of the regular ballot, changing our system of city elections, so that every big group in the city can be represented in the Board of Aldermen. It is only right, that the body which makes the laws for all of us should represent all big groups of people in the city instead of one party—as at present.

We who sign this letter are advocating this change in order to free our city elections from the control of party spoils machines. We believe the people should control their own elections. The charter amendment does this, not only by making the Board of Aldermen represent each big group in the city according to the number of votes each group gets in the election,

but also by taking all party labels off the ballots.

We who sign this letter were members of the committee of citizens which opposed Negro segregation. We opposed it because we believe in American ideals. For the same reason we advocate this charter amendment to give all of us the right to be represented in our government.

Your readers will see the importance of this proposal to the interests of Colored people and we feel sure, that, relating to it, they will vote for "Amendment No. One to City Charter, selecting to city election," etc., covering about twenty lines at the bottom of the regular ballot, below the names of the candidates, November 7.

Very truly yours,
Gustavus Tuckerman,
E. M. Grossman,
Percy Moore,
Roger N. Baldwin,
Rev. John W. Day.

ST. PAUL BAPTIST CHURCH, EAST ST. LOUIS

Sunday-school at 9:30, with all officers and teachers present. Immediately after Sunday school, prayer services began in the auditorium with Deacon McGill leading. Following the prayer services, the choir with Mr. F. Smith, director, sang a number of selections. Rev. J. DeShields promptly took his place in the pulpit with Rev. Houston, assisting. Rev. DeShields preached a powerful sermon, subject, "Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life, no Man Cometh unto the Father, but by Me."

QUINN CHAPEL NOTES

Rev. T. L. Watson has been returned to Quinn Chapel, South St. Louis, from the recent session of the Missouri Conference. His wife was re-elected as president of the Conference Missionary Department.

SEVEN CHURCH BAPTIST UNION

The Seven Church Baptist Union met with the Morning Star Baptist Church, Rev. D. Brown, pastor. After a good prayer and praise service, President Hall took charge of the services. Scripture lesson read by Rev. Hall, singing led by Rev. Robinson, prayer by Rev. J. W. Ellington. The speaker of the hour was then introduced, Rev. G. W. Clemmons. Subject, "The Hand of God." Collection, \$14.30. Next meeting will be with the Union Baptist Church, 2930 Market Street, at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 1405 Morgan.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

An overflow of visitors from many Southern states, also many city visitors were present Sunday, and warmly greeted Rev. S. A. Moseley and members. It was a pleasure to listen to such an instructive sermon as was delivered Sunday on "Christian Life." Covenant Sunday, November 5, come and speak a word for Jesus. 11:00 a. m. See Club garden party, November 15. Miss McMurray, private secretary of Puro College, worshipped with us last Sunday, also Mr. Lazarus, of Australia.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH 1405 Morgan Street

Mt. Olive Baptist Church gave its last rally for this season, Sunday, October 29, with much success. Pastors of the Seven Church Union, also their congregations were present at a joyful day was spent. Dinner was served at 6:30 p. m. The rally closed at 10:00 p. m. A good emblem with the name of Mt. Olive Baptist Church engraved thereon, was given to Sister Nellie Madison, as winner. Total collection was \$95.02. God bless the cheerful giver. Rev. A. Dixon, pastor; Tamus Miller, clerk.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Perry preached spiritual sermons at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The Sunday school at 1:30 had a good attendance. An excellent program was rendered by the B. Y. P. U. We extend our sympathy to the president of the B. Y. P. U., sister S. A. Anglin in the death of her little daughter. Next Sunday Nov. 5th will be rally day for the men. Special music has been prepared for the occasion. All women will be invited guests. Come out and see what our men can do.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH 1429 N. 12th St.

The services of Oct. 29th, were unusually broad and strengthening. Brother Thomas delivered deeply into the subject of "The Innumerable Love of God, and the Unfathomable Gift of God." Rev. Carpenter was a visitor at the 8 o'clock services and sang sweetly. Rev. D. W. Morris, pastor.

"THE CARNIVAL OF THE TREES"

The Board of Managers of the St. Louis Colored Orphans' Home will hold a grand entertainment, "The Carnival of the Trees," at the Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium, Garrison and Lucas Ave., from December 4 to December 9, inclusive. An invitation is extended to all volunteer bodies to give us their liberal support for this occasion. Mrs. Elmina Napier, Chairman; Mrs. Ollie Walton, Secretary.

"A bold attempt to disfranchise Negro voters, in the north, as well as in the South, is the latest scheme in the Wilson campaign managers. It is a plain game of intimidation, and it shows the lengths to which the Democratic managers are willing to go in this campaign. The conference they have displayed in planning and executing some of their schemes—without interference from Democratic district attorneys—is paralleled only by the operations in which city crooks go about their business under the sure protection of corrupt police."

The above statement was issued by William R. Willcutt, chairman of the Republican National Committee. The statement continues as follows:

Staunch Republicans The Negroes' Friends

THE PEOPLE'S TRUE FRIEND



CONGRESSMAN L. C. DYER

Candidate for Re-election to Congress From the Twelfth District

Whether in Congress or at home Hon. L. C. Dyer has always been the "people's friend." Not merely to gratify personal ambition, but a keen desire to serve the city, to serve the state, to serve the nation. Such is the unadorned record of Mr. Dyer.

As a member of Congress he has ever been watchful of the welfare of all the people, and has given special attention to any legislation affecting the welfare of the Negro. If a few more men like Mr. Dyer were in Congress all men, regardless of race, creed or color, would soon come into their own.

Editor's Note: I am personally acquainted with Hon. L. C. Dyer, representative in Congress from the Twelfth District of Missouri. He is a man of broad mind, capable, and a conscientious servant of all the people. He is never "too busy" to do his duty as a member of Congress, not to hear the wishes of the most humble. Such is the record of L. C. Dyer.

Geo. P. Weinbrenner For Sheriff

The office of sheriff is an important office for a city like St. Louis. In selecting a man to fill that office, great



FRANK M. SLATER
Public Administrator

When a man has been elected to an office by the suffrage of the people, it is for that man to make good before the people will honor him further. As a public official, Hon. Frank M. Slater who is a candidate for public administrator has done his duty well. He is well thought of by the Negroes who know him. He is known as "The Seventeenth Ward Benefactor." Mr. Slater has filled every place that he has been given by the votes of the people with credit not to himself alone, but to his constituency. He has gone to the front for the men in the ward when called upon; and he is asking for the office of Public Administrator on his record. He has made good. Vote for him.

care should be exercised on the part of the voter.

Mr. Weinbrenner, who is a candidate for sheriff, was for many years city marshal during which time he was always fair and just having appointed Negroes deputies under him.

Mr. Weinbrenner is too well known to the Negroes of this city for any lengthy comment. For as most of you know, that the Police Courts today, no doubt, would have the Jim Crow signs in them, had it not been for Mr. Weinbrenner, who when Judge Carl Knoll, Police Judge, ordered such signs to be put up in his court, that big hearted man, George Weinbrenner, ordered them down and gave the Judge a good "calling down," saying that "a man is a man for all that." He will do the right things if elected.



HON. CHAUNCEY J. KRUEGER For Judge of Criminal Court

The ballot is a mighty power. It should be used where it will do the most good to the greatest number. It should not be used to put in office a man who caters to a special privilege class. A judge of the court of criminal correction should be a fair and just man.

Chauncey J. Krueger is the man for the place. He is well known by the Colored people of this city, having served four years as justice of the peace of the fourth district, during which time he tried thousands of cases, few of which ever met any criticism or appeal. He was fair and just to all men. He will be the same as Judge of the Court of Criminal Correction. Vote for him.

REPUBLICAN TICKET

For President of the United States
CHARLES E. HUGHES

For Vice President
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS

For Senator in Congress for Missouri
WALTER S. DICKEY

For Governor
HENRY LAMM

For Lieutenant Governor
ROYCE BRITTON

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For State Auditor
GEORGE E. HACKMANN

For State Treasurer
L. D. THOMPSON

For Attorney General
JAMES H. MASON

For Judge of Supreme Court
(Division No. One)
JAMES M. JOHNSON

For Judge of Supreme Court
(Division No. Two. Unexpired Term)
EDWARD HIGBEE

For Judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals
WILLIAM DEE BECKER

For Representative in Congress for Tenth Congressional District
JACOB E. MEEKER

For Representative in Congress for Eleventh Congressional District
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For Judge of the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction
(Division No. Two)
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For Circuit Attorney for City of St. Louis
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AN APPRECIATION

We wish to thank the many friends and workers who assisted us in making the matinee entertainment for the benefit of the Old Folks' Home a success. Especially, Mr. Chas. H. Turpin, who donated as the use of Booker Washington Theater, Mrs. Grace Keys Carleton, who managed the affair, the Booker Washington Orchestra, and the St. Louis Argus, for the space for advertising. Our receipts were \$54.36, expenses, \$7.70. Gratefully, matinee Mrs. Lottie Johnson, president, Mrs. Clara Jones, Sec'y, Mrs. Nellie Thompson, chairman.

"Vote me, forget, remember yet!" Vote for Hughes and Dickey and defeat the Democrats, who have given the country the worst four years of misrule the country has ever witnessed. "Let me, forget, remember yet!" Go boldly to the polls next Tuesday and cast your ballot and insist on having it counted, and fear no man who tries to intimidate you in the exercise of your manhood rights.

AND LOCAL NOTES

The White-Burgess' on November 15, at the Y. W. C. A. is the talk of the town.

Let everybody hear Clarence Cameron White and Miss Myrtle A. Burgess November 15.

Misses Annie and Blanche Matthews, of St. Louis, are visiting their mother in Eads, Mo.

FOR RENT—Furnished room with all conveniences. Call at 4219 West Belle.

Miss Fannie Wingo, and daughter, of Mayville, Ky., were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. R. C. Bowman, of 1911 Lucas Ave.

Rev. J. H. Jennings has been promoted from the Second Baptist Church to the Rose Hill Baptist Church, Kirkwood, Mo.

The White-Burgess' recital at the Y. W. C. A., November 15, seems to have struck a popular chord from the favorable comments being made.

Mr. DuPont and Mrs. Jackson, also Mrs. Davis, of Chicago, Ill., were guests of Mrs. Jackson, of 4307 N. Market while in the city.

Read what is in this paper about the Y. W. C. A. meetings, then brush up your clothes and be there at that meeting at 4:00 o'clock, Sunday, at Pythian Hall.

Mr. A. R. Fowler, one of the leading members of Tabernacle Baptist Church, left Wednesday night to enter Western College at Macon, Mo.

Miss J. Hoover, of Kansas City, Mo., has been the guest of Miss F. Robinson and Miss Barbara Banks, of 4057 McDermott, for three weeks. She will leave for home November 4.

Miss Lundy, 6182 Minerva Ave., will go to Kansas City, Nov. 10, and return Nov. 17. Business trip. All friends take note and govern yourselves accordingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Sams, of 2922 Lawton, entertained a number of their friends with a Halloween Whist Party Tuesday night. All that were present seem to have enjoyed the evening and styled Mrs. Sams an excellent hostess.

Mrs. Chas. Thompson, of 3216 Pine, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is somewhat improved at this time. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Anna Barnette, one of the old citizens of South St. Louis, of 315 Levee street, has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Yoner Hodges, 2631 Adams St.

WANTED—A girl to learn to clerk in fruit and vegetable store, and to assist in other work. Call Sunday after 10 a. m. or weekdays after 6 p. m. One living in neighborhood preferred. 4298 St. Ferdinand Ave. v.

Misses Fashion Robinson and Barbara Banks, of 4937 Sherman, departed Saturday evening to join their mother in Detroit, Mich., where they expect to take their home. Mrs. Banks, the father, will leave November 15, for Hot Springs, Ark., and spend two weeks' vacation from there he will leave for Detroit.

The E. L. C. Club was entertained at the home of Miss Oce Calhoun, 3108 Clark, Monday, October 30. All members were present and received three new members. The afternoon, the hostess served a delicious menu. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mable Allison, 4228 West Belle Pl. Nov. 13. Miss Oce Calhoun, president; Miss Idell Hubbard, secretary; Mrs. Ida B. Spivey, reporter.

Mrs. Annie McGuire, 3930 State St., Chicago, who was among the first agents for the Slaughter System of Hair Culture paid the home office at 2001 Lawton Ave., a business visit this week. She stated that the Slaughter System is the most popular use of any other in the Windy City. She departed Thursday night for her home, saying that ladies desiring her service while visiting Chicago, call Douglas 343.

Mr. J. E. Gehart, of New Franklin, Mo., has been in the city the past week visiting his sister, Miss M. Sobrey, of 4132A Finney Ave., and brother, R. C. Burton, of 424A West Belle Pl. He was entertained Saturday evening by Mrs. Seifley. Those present were: Guest of honor, Mrs. L. P. Parnon, of Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. G. Holliman, Mrs. M. Mangum, Little Miss Josephine Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parks, Mr. G. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor, Mr. G. S. Taylor and Mr. Callaway.

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Miss Bueh Walker Day, of Cook Ave., will depart Saturday for Chicago for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Wm. Mason, 4347 Maifit, left this week for Poplar Bluff, to attend the funeral of her brother.

Dumas School will participate with 22 automobiles and Banquet with 20 in the School Bond parade Saturday afternoon.

Miss H. S. Sweeney, 1710 Goode Ave., was called to Mississippi last Sunday on account of the serious illness of her father.

The Informal Dames met with Mrs. Geo. H. Anderson, 3659 Pennsylvania Ave., Saturday, October 27. The usual discussion of famous books was indulged in.

Mrs. C. A. Hancock, 4049 Finney, will be home to the Bachelor Girls' Club Saturday, November 4. Mrs. J. Evans was hostess to the previous meeting.

Miss Empress Davidson, 4288 Lucky, is expecting as her guest, Miss Leila Stubbs, of Boston, during the week. Many social functions are being planned in her honor.

Mrs. Katie Bewell, 4228 Garfield, is traveling in Kentucky and Ohio, giving mass treatments. She expects to return home about the middle of November.

The Mother's Congress met in Kinloch Park, Mo., Friday, November 3, 1916. A great number were present. Mrs. R. H. Jones, 2816 Elliott Ave.

Miss Marie Johnson, of 3310 Lawton Ave., who was called to Rome, Ga., on account of the illness of her sister, has returned to the city. She reports her sister much improved.

Remember the date, November 15, the date, Whistler Branch Y. W. C. A. The occasion, the musical event of the season, in the violin and piano recital of Clarence Cameron White and Miss Myrtle A. Burgess.

Rev. N. L. Smith, Rev. A. Z. Bowers, Rev. J. W. Brown, J. D. Davis, Bradford, Mrs. Adelle Rickman, Mrs. Daisy Harris, Miss Mary Hunter and W. H. Brown are attending the Annual Southeast Missouri and Illinois Conference of the C. M. E. Church at Champaign, Illinois.

The Royal Society Embroidery Club met October 26, at the residence of Mrs. J. Wyatt. The next meeting will be the third Thursday, November 16, on account of Thanksgiving, at the residence of Mrs. Washington, 3311 Franklin Ave.

The house was beautifully decorated with club colors and the evening was spent crocheting and transacting business. The visitors were: Mrs. Chas. Twiney, Mrs. E. Beam and Mrs. D. H. Evans, Miss A. Burton, president, Miss A. R. Rhodes, secretary, Mrs. A. Wilborne, reporter.

Messrs. J. W. Span and C. Francis Osborne were the hosts of a number of young friends at the Bookers Washington Tuesday evening, after which the party assembled at the home of the oldest Negro journal in the city, where merry making and dancing were enjoyed until 11:45, when seemingly old St. Swithin himself opened the door of the spacious dining room, where, the fair guests sat in a circle around the table was presented a picture which would be difficult for any artist to compare. At 1 a. m. all departed for their several homes, vowing to meet at a very pleasant evening.

HAWKINS REPRESENTS RECORDED

Rev. R. E. Wright, editor and business manager of the Christian Recorder, the oldest Negro journal in the world, and the leading organ of the A. M. E. church, has appointed Mr. E. Hawkins clerk of St. Paul, to represent the Recorder in St. Louis and vicinity. No one will make a mistake in subscribing for the Recorder as it is all ways brim full of religious news that will be helpful to anyone.

It also contains facts and figures concerning the Negro race, that our people ought to know. A write-up of churches, individuals, schools, etc., will be given general publicity. Ladies and gents wanted on liberal commission. See E. Hawkins at the Adams Laundry Company, 2609 Pine street.

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MISS ADA JONES

Miss Ada Jones, of 2814 Walnut St., is one of our most promising young ladies, is an active member and worker of Tabernacle Baptist Church, also the youngest organist of our city, who has charge of the Tabernacle Choir, which is one of the best in the city. Miss Jones was the winner of the \$15.00 in gold given away by the most popular lady in the contest of which Mr. A. R. Fowler was the promoter.

B. W. Holmes, treasurer, Mrs. Mattie Cathoon, secretary, Dr. Wm. Knight had the honor of presentation. She is a student of Sumner High School, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

VIOLIN AND PIANO RECITAL

Clarence Cameron White to Be Heard in Recital With Miss Myrtle A. Burgess.

On Wednesday evening, November 15, Clarence Cameron White and Miss Myrtle A. Burgess will appear in a joint recital at the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium. Mr. White, of Boston, Mass., had foremost violinist of the race, has not played in St. Louis for two years, and recollections of his artistic work on previous occasions should arouse every one with enthusiasm to hear him again. Miss Burgess, piano soloist and prominent teacher of piano, of this city has been heard so frequently that she needs no introduction.

suffice it to say that in a joint recital of these two artists a rare treat is assured.

CARONDELET NEWS

The twenty-first K. P. Lodge in St. Louis was organized October 28, 1916, at Pythian Temple, by A. W. Lloyd, A. L. Poyard and J. E. Banks. It will be known as the Carondelet Lodge No. 56 with the following officers: A. L. Poyard, C. C. N. Elliott, V. C. E. B. White, P. L. Slaton, J. C. E. B. White, S. E. Cyrus, M. of P. J. H. H. Hunt, M. of W. G. Boyland, M. A. J. W. Fornas, I. G. Watkins, O. G. The initiations choice was W. E. Officer, Jr., Treasurer N. B. C. C. O. J. Biggs, Temperance Fidelity No. 34, V. C. L. E. Banks, W. M. Poyard No. 2, M. A. A. Robinson, Excelsior No. 3, P. L. Slaton, Mound City No. 4, M. of W. The boys who composed the new lodge royally entertained the guest. This meeting will hold its regular meeting at 115 E. St., second and fourth Monday night in each month. We are glad to see Mrs. A. L. Poyard out again.

FURNITURE STORE OPENED

Among the recent Negro enterprises which have been opened in this city, none has attracted so much attention as the general public to the furniture store of J. A. Shields, now located at 2607 Lawton Ave.

This store is well stocked with all kinds of new and second-hand furniture, carpets, rugs, ranges, heaters and cook stoves.

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DEATHS OF THE WEEK

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown me during the illness and death of my beloved daughter, Lena Lindsay, who departed this life Oct. 26th, 1916, at 10:20 A. M.

I wish to thank Rev. M. C. Conley for his consoling words also friends for the most beautiful floral designs. She leaves to mourn her loss, a mother, father, two brothers and a host of friends. Signed, Laura Lindsay.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. J. E. Anderson and family desire to express their sincere thanks to their many friends for their sympathy and kindness during their recent bereavement in the death of a beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Jennie Anderson, who departed this life Tuesday, October 17, 1916.

The impressive service and floral offerings were highly appreciated. St. Mary's Court No. 1, H. of J., together with associated Heroines are to be thanked in a special manner. All of these thoughtful deeds of acts brought relief and comfort to the loved ones, who were so sadly bereaved on account of this sudden loss.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Sarah Abington wishes to thank her many friends for the kind sympathy shown her during her recent bereavement in the death of her loving husband, George, Abington, who departed this life, Sunday, Oct. 29th, 1916.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown to us through the hours of sorrow and bereavement, during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Martha Bailey and for the many beautiful floral offerings. Signed, Peter Bailey, Miss Bailey, Martha Webster, Lulu Preston and J. M. Bailey.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our darling mother, Martha Bailey, who died October 24, 1916.

"One week has passed today, since we layed her away; And placed her cold hands upon her breast."

In silence, with patience she bore, And called her home to suffer no more."

Sadly missed by husband and daughters. Robert Collins, 1621 Gay. Mrs. Julia Lovings, 1621 Gay.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my beloved wife, Sophie Satter, who died three years ago, November 2, 1913.

The depth of our sorrow no one can tell, In the loss of dear Sophie we too are well.

And while she sleeps in peaceful sleep, Her memory we shall always keep.

We saw you suffer we heard your sighs, With aching hearts and weeping eyes; We saw you sinking hour by hour, Yet we could not stay death's awful power.

Oh, Lord, keep green the grave that lies, Beneath the wide and starry skies; Keep sweet with sleep and give her peace, Whose hands are folded on her breast.

Sadly missed by husband, Captain Clarence W. Satter, sisters, brother and friends.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, R. C. Wood, who departed this life November 7, 1914.

Though our hearts with grief be broken, And our lips with sorrow dumb; Faithful is the promise spoken, Resurrection time shall come.

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BROOMFIELD AT OMAHA

Word has been received by friends of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broomfield, formerly of 2841 Lucas Ave., that they are now located at Omaha, Neb., where Mr. Broomfield's brother is and that they are going to make that city their future home. Mrs. Broomfield states, however, that she is quite homesick, being away from the friends that have been so kind to her during their fourteen years in St. Louis. Their address is 116 S. 9th St.

A. M. E. ALLIANCE

The A. M. E. Alliance met Monday, October 30, 11 a. m., in the parlor of St. Paul Chapel. Rev. W. R. Stewart presiding. The Alliance was organized and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. W. B. Stewart, president; Rev. T. L. Watson, vice-president; Rev. S. S. Fitcher, secretary; Rev. D. D. Oaks, treasurer. The Alliance will meet every Monday at 11 a. m.

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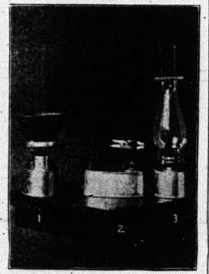
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Wilson's "Chocolate Soldier" Secretary of War Excites Nation's D'sgust by Declaring Washington's Army Was as Bad a Lot as Villa's Bandit Band.

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"In Their Ragged Regiments Stood the Old Continentals, Yielding Not," and This Is the Reason Baker Sneers at Real Patriots Because He Seeks in an Environment That Glories in Yielding Every American Right—Also Takes a Fling at Civil War Heroes, Saying They Committed the Same Crimes of Which Mexican Outlaws Are Now Guilty.

The defense which Secretary of War Newton D. Baker offered for Mr. Wilson's Mexican policies found quick response from patriotic Americans— but hardly the response Mr. Baker could have wished for.

In a speech in Jersey City, the Secretary likened the Mexican revolutionists to the Continentals who fought with Washington. He admitted the Mexicans were a racially lot, but said their actions were those of all rebels. The patriots of the American Revolution looted churches and drove ministers from them on their famous march to Valley Forge, he added.

Protest have come from far and near. The Empire State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution met and adopted a resolution condemning "in the strongest terms the unpatriotic language of the Secretary of War." Members of the society were outspoken in their denunciation. Some declared that unless his remarks were repudiated at once by Mr. Wilson, a movement should be started to force the Secretary's resignation.

Friend of Baker's Joins.

The Empire State Society meeting was in the Waldorf-Astoria. In the chair was Louis Annin Ames, president of the society, a Democrat, a staunch supporter of the Administration and a close friend of Secretary Baker. He was asked if he had any personal comment to make on the action of the head of the War Department.

"It is all told in the resolution," said Mr. Ames. "The resolution was passed unanimously, so it embodies my views."

The resolution follows: "Whereas, it is reported in The New York Tribune this morning that Secretary of War Baker, at a public meeting held in Jersey City last night, used the following language reflecting upon the character of the members of Washington's army at Valley Forge, and likened them to the present Mexican revolutionists:

"I know that the Mexicans do not respect American life and property," said Mr. Baker, "I know that they do not pay their debts, that they are ragamuffins, that they desecrate Church property, that their money is no good and that they are generally worthless. But people never respect those things in revolutions. We did not respect them in our Civil War. Washington's soldiers in the march to Valley Forge stole everything they could lay their hands on; took the silver vessels out of the churches and sold them to buy drink. They drove ministers out of the churches. Their money was worthless and they were just as bad characters as the Mexicans."

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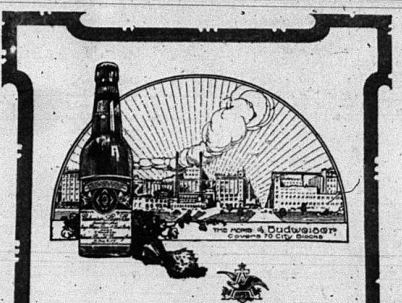
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BECAUSE he is a man of forward vision, of practicality and firmness, not a mere rhetorician and theorist.

BECAUSE he stands for the protection of American lives and property abroad as well as at home.

BECAUSE through him the whole nation will be in the Government. It will not be ruled by one sect, nor by one man.

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BECAUSE he favors investigating before legislating.

Reasons Why Wilson Should Be Defeated

BECAUSE, to cite Representative Fitzgerald, Democratic Chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the House, during his administration the Democratic Congress has been the most extravagant that has ever met in the capital.

BECAUSE he insists on a shipping bill—an indefensible piece of folly which would destroy such merchant marine as we now have.

BECAUSE, although he says "he kept us out of war," the story of Mexico, San Domingo and Haiti refutes him.

BECAUSE he runs anti-climaxes. He marches in only to march out again.

BECAUSE he signed the seamen's bill, which practically has wiped out shipping on the Pacific Coast.

BECAUSE he attempted to scuttles the Philippines and was defeated only by twenty patriotic Democrats who voted with the Republicans of the House.

BECAUSE he appointed as Secretary of State William J. Bryan after denouncing him as a pest who should be "knocked into a cocked hat."

BECAUSE he made possible Villa, murderer of men and despoiler of women, and Carranza, the fatuous and futile "First Chief."

BECAUSE Wilson's text book statesmanship and grape-juice diplomacy have made the United States an international laughing stock.

BECAUSE he appointed "deserving Democrats" to the diplomatic corps, displacing experienced men at a time when it was essential to the foreign trade and honor of the United States to retain competent, experienced men.

BECAUSE he is incompetent to lead, and veers like a weather vane whenever a zephyr of public opinion seems to blow against him.

BECAUSE his "one-track mind" has too many turn-tables.

BECAUSE he lifted the embargo of arms so that the Mexican desperadoes have used American ammunition to murder American soldiers and civilians.

BECAUSE the promised "pitiless publicity" has been replaced by private, special, secret negotiations by personal agents and representatives, appointed by President Wilson without "the advice and consent of the Senate."

BECAUSE he reverses himself so rapidly that the entire country is seasick from the motion.

BECAUSE he is for free trade, direct taxes and an empty treasury—the same old Democratic trinity.

BECAUSE if the Payne-Aldrich law had been in operation in the last nine months of 1915 we would have collected \$55,161 more than we did under the Underwood law. It would have met the treasury deficits and have avoided war taxes. The foreigner selling in our market got the entire benefit of the \$91,656,161.

BECAUSE during the first ten months of the Wilson-Underwood law there were more unemployed being fed by charity than during any ten months in our history, excepting under the Wilson-Gorman act.

BECAUSE of his inconsistency on the immigration bill. In his "History of the American People," vol. 5, p. 213, he wrote: "The Chinese were more to be desired as workmen, if not as citizens, than most of the coarse crew that came crowding in every year at the Eastern ports."

BECAUSE he has not reduced, as he promised, the high cost of living, but has actually made it higher.

BECAUSE he was pledged to a single term by the Baltimore convention, but before the type was cold he was building up his fences for another.

BECAUSE, although posing as an advocate of civil service, every act of his as President in connection with civil service has been adverse to its principles, obstructive and destructive of its bonafide practice.

Church Directory

St. James A. M. E. Church, St. Ferdinand and Franklin Streets—Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young Peoples' Societies, 5 to 7:30. Class meeting, Tuesday, 8 p. m. Rev. William H. Peck, pastor.

Ward Chapel A. M. E. Church, Kinloch, Mo.—Sunday, Preaching 11 a. m. Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m. Thursday, Class meeting, 8:00 p. m. J. W. Garner, pastor.

St. Peter's A. M. E. Church, Elliott and Montgomery Sts., Sunday, Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school, 2 p. m. Rev. S. B. Anderson, Pastor.

St. Marks A. M. E. Zion Church, Laguard and Bernard St.—Services at 11:00 a. m. Sunday-school at 1:00 p. m. Class meeting, Friday evening at 8:00. Reverend F. W. Altork, the pastor, will preach special sermons, morning and evening.

QUINN CHAPEL A. M. E. Church, 321 Bowen St. Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:00 a. m. Class meeting, Thursday, Rev. T. L. Watson, Pastor.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH, 6218 Wells Ave.—Preaching Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 1 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Rev. E. L. Clark, pastor.

Grant's A. M. E. Church, 6728 Bleck Ave.—Sunday preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school 3 p. m. Mr. Blackwell, Sept. Rev. W. H. Pearson, pastor. Residence 3024 Pine St.

Wynen A. M. E. Church, 23rd and Wash Streets—Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Endeavor, 6:30; Class meeting, Tuesday, 8 p. m.; Prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p. m. Rev. S. L. Brooks, Pastor.

First Baptist Church, 1320 Clark Ave.—Sunday preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Preaching, Wednesday night by local preachers. Prayer meeting, Friday 8 p. m. Rev. Wm. O. Davis, pastor, 4394 Lucky St.

First Baptist Church of Kinloch, Mo.—Sunday, preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Bible reading at 6:30 p. m. Weekly meetings, Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m. Communion, second Sunday in each month. Rev. P. Hoyle, pastor; E. L. Brown, clerk.

Leonard Avenue Baptist Church: 36 S. Leonard Ave.—Sunday, Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School 1:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night. Rev. P. W. Dunsavat, Pastor, 2749 Walnut.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 2624 Papin St. Sunday: Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school 1:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Dr. J. Douglas Herben, Pastor.

Theological Missionary Baptist Church—504 Montrose Ave. Sunday prayer meeting 6 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school 1 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30; Wednesday, preaching 8 p. m.; Friday, prayer meeting 8 p. m.; Missionary Society, first and third Tuesday in each month at 8 p. m. Rev. David Tyler, pastor.

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Tabernacle Baptist Church, 3728 Pine St. Preaching Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m. Second meeting, Friday, 8 p. m. Prayer Meeting—Rev. A. M. Moore, Pastor.

Second Baptist Church, Kinloch Park—Preaching, Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school, 1 p. m.; Weekly meetings, Wednesday and Friday, 8 p. m. Rev. Timothy Post, 612 S. Garrison Ave., St. Louis, Pastor.

Mount Olive Baptist Church, 1429 N. 12th Street—Preaching every Sunday, 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school, 1 p. m.; B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m.; Mission Circle, fourth Sunday in each month. Rev. D. W. Morris, Pastor.

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Corinthian Baptist Church, 445 Annapolis, Sunday Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sabbath school 10:00 a. m.; B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m. Wednesday; Preaching 8:00 p. m. Friday; Prayer Meeting, 8 p. m. Mission society, third Friday in each month. Business meeting Friday before the fourth Lord's Day in each month. Rev. Wm. Anderson, Pastor.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church No. 2, 1405 Morgan St. Sunday, prayer meeting, 6 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Mission Circle, Tuesday night. Prayer and praise meeting, Friday night. Third Sunday in each month Covenant meeting. Fourth Sunday communion. Rev. A. Dickson, pastor, Thomas Miller, clerk.

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contains several very commendable
numbers. The arrangement seems
turned around, however, because the
opening is far stronger than the finale.
The finale is a medley of popular
songs, closing with Ed. Peat in acro-
batic eccentric dancing. The ending is
a comedy entitled "The Dog Town 400
club," which is full of comedy, but
should close with a musical number by
the company.

One of the bright spots is "Daddy,"
sung by Baby Benbow and a male
quartette. This is a real gem.
Stringbeans and Benbow in a little
skit, with Beans impersonating an ab-
surd-funny character, are a big success
especially in their burlesque on "The
Dance Called Walking the Dog." Miss
Hudson does well singing "Great Big
Baby Smile," and Ed. Peat holds the
stage for while, to advantage, in
songs and monologues.

The closing piece offers a chance for
each member of the company to dis-
play his or her talent, that entitles
them, especially the male trio and
Baby Benbow in character dancing.
The show is the best this company has
given at the Booker Washington Theatre
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Beginning Monday, Nov. 7.

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ELECTION RETURNS

Tuesday night. Special program of
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Returns returned until one o'clock or
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"YELLOW MENACE," Monday
nights.

"FANTOMAS," Friday nights.

SUMMER WINS FROM LINCOLN

The Summer High football eleven won
last Saturday's game from Lincoln
High in East St. Louis, score 6 to 0.
The failure of Summer's odds to fol-
low instructions permitted Lincoln to
show well in blocking. The general
work of the St. Louis squad did not
compare favorably with last year's
eleven but this can be attributed to the
new material which will improve dur-
ing the month. G. Tankins and Corns,
guards, played an almost flawless game
and Yeager, at center, not only passed
perfectly but made repeated gains
through Lincoln's line.

The High school boys will line up
against the Alumni in a practice game
at Kellogg's Park, Saturday, at 2:30.
The graduates will show such stars as
C. Bailey, A. Green, J. Young, W.
Peterson, J. Lytle, C. Young, W. Williams,
Staten and E. Hutchinson. The 35
or eleven will line up as follows: Yeager,
center; G. Tankins and Corns, guard;
Moss and C. Williams, ends; John,
quarter back; or H. Williams, full back;
Dickerson, right half; A. Tan-
kins, left half.

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The Negroes of the country should
rise as one to cast their vote in the
upcoming election. Stand up for the
place the government into the hands
of those who sought fifty years ago to
annihilate it and continue the dan-
gerous institution of slavery.

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ST. JAMES NOTES

Miss Mary G. Evans, 2004 Evans
gish, to hold Revival Services at St.
James A. M. E. Church, beginning Sun-
day, Nov. 5.

The gifted young woman is a grad-
uate of Wilberforce University, and is
the most wonderful exponent of the
Scriptures now in the evangelistic field.
She has a magnetic personality and is
a sweet singer. Do not fail to attend
the meetings. Miss Evans will be as-
sisted by a choir of thirty voices.

A large congregation filled the au-
ditorium, Sunday morning to welcome the
return of Dr. W. H. Peck as pastor. The
Dr. is looking well after his trip to
conference. His presence will be more
than \$1,000 over the previous year
and showed \$10 increase in dollar
money was one of the best in the history
of the church. The pastor is full of
enthusiasm and we expect to accomplish
great things this year. Don't forget the
meetings beginning Nov. 5th.

MT. ZION NOTES

Rev. C. H. Clark, D. D., pastor of
the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Nash-
ville, Tenn. will conduct the revival at
the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 2025
Morgan St., beginning Wednesday, Nov.
5th, 1916.

The public is invited to hear one of
the leading pastoral evangelists of
America. Clark has conducted suc-
cessful revivals in the leading cities of
the country.

Come and hear him, he is also chair-
man of the National Baptist Publishing
Board that prints the Sunday-school
literature for the Negro Baptists of
America. He will answer any questions
at that subject.

Rev. William H. Harris pastor, Mt.
Zion Baptist Church, 2025 Morgan St.,
Sunday.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Herben will preach Sunday
at both services. Dr. Herben has been
away for three weeks conducting evan-
gelistic meetings in Chicago. Last
Sunday was a great day in that meet-
ing among the many converts.
was a policeman. You should come out
to hear Dr. Herben at Mt. Zion, Sun-
day.

If you wish to be in the social
swim, buy a reserved seat, November 15
at Y. W. C. A., immediately.

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to let my friends know that
I am no longer connected with the
Aene Laundry Company, but am still
in the insurance business, and will ap-
preciate a continuance of their patron-
age. Signed, E. Hawkins.

M. B. Hair Grower will give best re-
sults.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

There are no "Jim-Crow" laws on
the statute books of any Republican
state. All of the "Jim-Crow" states
are Democratic states.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

The Negro vote is the balance of power
in Missouri, and every Negro should
rally to the Republican ticket this year
and aid in returning the Republican
party to power in the state and in the
nation.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

President Wilson forgets thousands of
people into voting for him four years
ago by false promises, but he can't
forget anybody this time. He has de-
ceived everybody and pleased nobody
by his hypocritical pretences.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

The South is in the saddle at Wash-
ington, to undo the work accomplished
by the Civil War, and if you aid in
putting them back, you will be untrue to
yourself and betray your friends, from
whom you can expect nothing in the future.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

The Republican party is the ship of
state. The Democratic party is the
sea. Democrats would destroy your
rights. Republicans made you free.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

The Republican party gave you the
ballot, and has helped you to improve
your condition for fifty years. The
Democratic party has disfranchised you
in eleven states, and for fifty years
Jim-Crowed you. You voted and you
burned you at the stake.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

Senator Jim Reed is the arch enemy
of the Negro race in the United States
Senate, and ought to be defeated, by
electing Walter S. Dickey to fill his
seat. Mr. Dickey will be a credit to
the state of Missouri in the United
States Senate and will not assault the
rights of any group of citizens of the
state, but will represent every race
and Missouri honorably and creditably.

"Lost we forget, remember yet!"

The Democratic party seeks to disfran-
chise you at this election; by intimidat-
ing you at the polls. Be fearless in
the discharge of the highest duty
of an American citizen. Stand up for
your rights. No citizen of the United
States can afford to be a coward.
Don't be too proud to fight for your
rights.

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needle work, cooking and any kind of
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part in the woman's exhibition at Y.
W. C. A. last week in October.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special
meeting of the stockholders of the
Commonwealth Mercantile and Invest-
ment Company, will be held at Mc-
Phetters' Memorial Presbyterian Church,
southeast corner of Goode and
Cote Streets, at 1019 N. Leffingwell Ave.,
St. Louis, at 9 o'clock, on Mon-
day, December 4, 1916, at 9 o'clock
in the forenoon, for the purpose of vot-
ing upon a fifteen thousand dollar in-
crease of the capital stock of the said
corporation, and for the transaction of
any and all business in connection
therewith that will properly come be-
fore said meeting.

By order of president,
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Ladies and Gentlemen: That 1917
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Lucky. The dance which is called
"Jinney Bus Joy," is very lively and
amusing and at the same time grace-
ful. The Professors of New York, Bos-
ton, Philadelphia, St. Louis and Chi-
cago selected the song, "You Tell It"
or "Jinney Bus Joy" for this dance
because it has such lovely swinging
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but which is so far from us. He has
away into the dim mysterious future—
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